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### **DETAILED ACTION**

1. The reply filed on April 10, 2006 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The declaration pursuant to 37 CFR 1.131 is defective because 1) the signature of one of the inventors is missing (Re: Heidi L. Wickland) and 2) each page that carried a signature of the inventor(s) must contain a list of all of the inventors. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

### ***Conclusion***

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jack Chen whose telephone number is (571)272-1689. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (9:00am-6:30pm) alternate Monday off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl W. Whitehead can be reached on (571)272-1702. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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